

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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In re Application of:	)	Art Unit: 4123
Friedrich MAGERL et al.	)	Examiner: Jan C.L. Merene
Appln. No.: 10/554,062	)	Washington, D.C.
Date Filed: July 30, 2006	)	Confirmation No: 4489
For: SPONDYLODESIS DEVICE	)	April 28, 2009

**AMENDMENT ACCOMPANYING  
REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)**

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Sir:

Contemporaneous with the filing of a Request for Continued Examination (RCE), and in reply to the Office Action mailed October 28, 2008, petition for three-month's extension of time and fees being paid online, please amend as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 6 of this paper.